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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 5

Part B for July, 40.

SUBJECT.

Flat Rates for Electrical Energy supplied to Nurses' Quarters.

5) G. 10038—43 dt/ 31.5.40

To, The Sr. Surgeon,
" Suburban Surgeon,
" C.H. Surgn.,
" C.H. & L. Surgn.,
" Comptr. thro' F.D.,
" Secy., Electr. Dept.,

WD 0573—GPB—22,500—12-9-89

Directs appl^n of the G.O.re:— Nov. to the K.G.F. hospls. and that 9.7.40 are as prior to 1.7.39 should be for... by the several institutions concerned.

Serial No.

From Senior Surgeon

MC 3204-6 d 25.3.39

Forwarded extract from proceedings of the meeting of the Board of Visitors, Bristo, and V.V. Hospitals and recommends the extension of the concession applicable to Govt. Hospitals in Mysore to Govt. Hospitals in Bangalore for a period of 3 years.

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Submitted. The proposal for house rent allowance to G.T. attendants has been separately submitted.

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2) The Senior Surgeon recommends that the concession rates applicable to Govt. Hospitals in Mysore may be made to apply to the Matrons and Nurses of Bangalore wherever there is a clerical error. The idea is to give the nurses free expenses in meeting the flat-rate charges from the respective hospitals. Sanction is now required for three years. The exact financial implications of the proposal is not stated, though in the proceedings it is mentioned that against the 12 annas now charged to Govt. Servants for flat-rate charges at flat-rates would work out to 4 annas extra per person.

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3) The question of including the nurses of the Mysore hospitals in Bangalore city under the

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WD 0544—GPB—30,000—2-9-83

L.S.G. Secretary's Note dated the 10th April 1939.

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5) Nurses quarters are ~~are~~ Government buildings and the nurses are entitled to free quarters. They are not paying any rent. The G.O. applicable to Government buildings may therefore be extended to the nurses quarters also and a flat rate of 4 annas a light and 8 annas per fan may be applied to these quarters also. There would then be no need to have meters. Now, charges up to the minimum are met from the Medical Budget, and excess power charges are paid by nurses and this latter generally works out to more than double the minimum charge. The nurses can ill afford to pay this. The loss to the Electrical Department per annum will be only about Rs 600/-

The recommendation of the Senior Surgeon may be sanctioned.

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Enhancing rates of electric charges applicable to Govt Depts &
Mahrs and Nurses quarters
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and Nurses' quarters are paid by nurses, this latter generally urges not to mention standard or minimum charge. The nurses can suggested by ~~yours~~ us. The loss to the Electric Dept p.a. will be about 600 Rs.

The recommendation may be sanctioned

10/4/39

Elec Secy
MC

Fin Secy
MC

6) It is stated in the note that "For reasons noted the Nurses are provided with food & raiment by Government, the supply of free lighting would equally be a necessity".

7) Quite. But free food and raiment is "wages wages in kind". Free electricity would be an increase of "wages in kind". But Nurses wages are in no way the concern of the Electrical Dept. and I can not agree to the suggestion.

Secretary P&C
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8) I agree with the Electrical Secretary

10.4.39

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Reminder issued. Reply rec'd.

Dealt with reminder
SMA 26/4 JOM

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From Senior Surgeon
C3204-10 d 25-4-39.
Furnishes the information called for in para 10 Supra.

14) Submd. The Senior Surgeon states that there are 6 meters for the 6 blocks of quarters in the 3 hospitals and that excess charges under each meter are distributed equally among the nurses living in that block. For orders. Refer Member's minute para 10 Supra.
SMA JOM
26.4.39.

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Lcy (J.M.S.)

Reference: Member's minute in para 10.

15) There are only 6 meters for all the quarters occupied by the nurses, at the rate of one meter per block of quarters. Some of the nurses may be using power in excess of the minimum, while others may keep within the minimum. The distribution of the excess charges equally among the nurses occupying the block appears to be inequitable.

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Exempting nurses from payment of electric charges

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2) Asked with files. Under the orders of 17.6.38 flat rate is to be charged for all the Nurses quarters until the quarters are provided with glass tiles. Govt have since sanctioned the proposal of the Senior Surgeon that general exemption be granted to all nurses, who are provided with free quarters in the District Hospitals and other Medical institutions in Bangalore, Mysore and K.G.F. up to a minimum. A similar concession may be ~~is perhaps to be~~ extended to the nurses of the Victoria and Vani Vilas Hospitals. The Senior Surgeon may perhaps be consulted unofficially and requested to propose a uniform scheme for all. Furnish a Statement

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3) Dy. 6.11.38 Asst

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WD 0514—GPB—30,000—2-9-38

Exemption of Nurses from payment of electric charges.

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G.O. 341-I 9/3/39.

Redirected with complements.

6) There is considerable difficulty at present to fix meters to every nurse's quarter. Further the meter charges will be excessive. If no meters are fixed there will be complaints about uniform distribution of charges of excess over minimum though some of the nurses are more frugal than others. To obviate all this, a uniform flat rate of annas 4 per light may be charged and this amount be paid from the contingencies of the Hospital whose authorities will periodically scrutinise and prevent unauthorised number of lights being used in any quarter.

Bldg accepted
Senior Surgeon. 9/3

7) Forwarded with compliments to the Chief Engineer unusually. Because Surgeon for favouring his opinion together with a statement showing the financial effect given for some measures in para 4 above.

Executive Engineer
Cantonments
10-3-39

No 351 Med dated 1-3-39

C.E.E. dt. 13/3

A.C.E.E.
Put up a Note
PP 16/3

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ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTRICAL ENGINEER

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,

BANGALORE.

Date .....M.A.Y...1939.

File No. 1939.

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Serial No.

Subject:- Exempting Nurses from the payment of electric charges.

Reference:-U.O.No.351/Med. D11-3-1939.

U.O.No 26599/one
16.5.39.

Returned, with compliments, to the Secretary to Government, Local Self-Government Department, Bangalore.

8)

The proposal to charge "Nurses Quarters" at a flat rate of Re0-4-0 per outlet will result in a loss to this Department to an extent of nearly - Rs1,850/- per annum on an average, as per figures shown in the statement appended hereto. Apart from the question of this loss, the metering system has the advantage of preventing indiscriminate use and wastage of power, as has been found in the Government Installations.

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Further, it is difficult to watch that the consumers are using only the prescribed candle power bulbs in their installations, when they know that they are not charged for excess consumption. It is therefore desirable to continue the existing system of metering all installations and charge for actual consumption, subject to the prescribed minimum being borne by the Medical Department and the excess over the minimum by the occupants. This will prevent the occupants using power indiscriminately.

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SH:BPR.

Chief Electrical Engineer
to the Government of Mysore.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE. ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT.

EXEMPTING NURSES FROM PAYMENT OF ELECTRIC CHARGES.

Sl. No.	Name of Section	No. of installations in Service.	Average Annual charges calculated on consumption basis.	Annual charges on outlet basis.	Loss involved.
			Rs	Rs	Rs
1.	Bangalore Power & Light Section.	17	1,754	774	980
2.	Mysore Power and Light Section.	23	1,326	648	678
3.	Kankanhalli Power & Light Section.	2	41	30	11
4.	Kolar Gold Fields Power & Light Section.	1	51	21	30
5.	Bhadravathi Power & Light Section.	2	232	81	151
	Total:	45	3,404	1,554	1,850

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CHIEF ELECTRICAL ENGINEER.

Exempting nurses from payment of electric charges.

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10) Asked for orders. The C. Electrical Engineer has stated that the levy of flat-rates to nurses will lead to a loss of nearly Rs 1850/- per annum and recommends that the metering System of metering all installations and charging for actual consumption, minimum charges being borne by the Med. Dept— and the excess if any being collected from the occupants, may be continued.

In the linked file (pages 16 to 19,) the levy of flat rates has been ordered to be continued × but not free lighting as recommended. Hon'ble orders whether the draft put up in this sense covers the recommendations. Draft O for approval or other orders.

(Exempting nurses quarters in Bangalore only)

11) Instead of a flat rate Schedule of 4 as to be levied the charges 17.5.39. being paid out of contingencies, the C.E.E recommends the payment of minimum charges from the Contingencies of the work, the excess over the same being paid by the occupants themselves. (& sets fee) This system would be more advantageous financially & may be approved in place of the existing rate of 4 as a light. But in the linked file (17/1735.) the Electrical Engr is not

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D/ 26.5.39

14) In view of the expense involved in providing a meter for the portion of the Nurses' quarters occupied by each nurse, it may not be economical to instal a meter for each separate portion, taking into account the small charges ~~for~~ on account excess consumption that may be realised. In the absence of meters, the distribution of the charges for excess consumption will not be equitable. It is therefore proposed to levy a flat rate.

15) For favour of remarks as to what safeguards would be necessary to avoid the possible abuse of the privilege as noted by the Chief Electrical Engineer.

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Elec Secy
MC

26/5 16) I obvious course is for the Hospital to pay for the current metered (there are meters at present) and allocate the charges to individuals as it considers fair, or supply it to the nurses free of charge. No part of the cost can however be debited to the Elec. Dept, which is a commercial Dept.

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29 MAY 1939
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Secy to Spl Officer to see the Hon'ble Member 29/5

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25)	Revised Dft for appl Sdlr 1.7.39. Mg 1/7
26)	(25) Re-submitted a clean Copy Leg 4/7
27)	Sd with typed Dft for approval Sdlr 8/7 Mg 4/7 Secy Leg 4/7
28)	For perusal before Govt Dewan) Mg 4.7.39 Leg
29)	Mg 4-7-39
30)	Dewan) Mg 4 7 39
31)	✓ Mg Leg 5/7
	Financial Secy. has agreed. Draft and file. Secy) Leg 4/7
	I would suggest that the exact amount of fee etc in the particular items (like fares, etc) be charged in the case should be decided in G.O. the term charges be depositing as dictated in G.O. the term charges in interpretation in which is a frequent cause of trouble in carrying AS 7.39

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583. Charges

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Directs that flat rates may be levied for electrical energy supplied for lighting purposes etc. to Nurses quarters in all medical institutions in Bangalore & Mysore City, and the Dists. the Charges being met out of Contingencies of the Hospitals Concerned.

From Comptroller lr Govt No 39 A 2 & 26.7.39 enquires the date from which the above G.O has to be given effect to and whether it applies to the Hospitals in Kolar area also

Provided Copies are sent to the Press & placed in the file

38) Asked. The Senior Surgeon may perhaps be consulted unofficially in regard to the above enquiries made by the Comptroller

7.8.39.

39) The Comptroller may perhaps be told that the arrangement will have effect from 1.7.39 & that it applies to the K.G.F. area also. Records of the P.W.D will have to be consulted in this connection

Asst Secy 7/8

40) 9.c. 341-16

17.11. Forwarded with compliments to the Senior Surgeon for favour of remarks.

Asst Secy

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the Institutions.

43) The enclosed statement will show the amount outstanding against each Institution and the bills received from the Electrical Department are being sent separately for doing the needful.

44) The Government Order may also apply to the Nurses' Quarters in the Kolar Gold Field area as contemplated in the G.O.No.556-61/Med.227-38-1 dated 13-7-1939 (vide this office No.G.C.341-1 dated 9-3-1939).

P.Narayana Rao 16/11

Senior Surgeon.

Statement showing the arrears of electrical charges due on the Nurses' quarters of the various medical institutions prior to 1-7-1939.

No.	Name of Institution.	Amount.
1.	Victoria Hospital, Bangalore. ...	Rs. 238-12-0
2.	Vani Vilas Hospital, Bangalore. ...	Rs. 457-12-0
3.	Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore.	Rs. 27- 5-0
4.	Cheluvamba Hospital, Mysore. ...	Rs 3- 6-0
5.	General Hospital, Chickmagalur. ...	Rs. 15- 2-0
	Total.	Rs. 742- 5-0

P.Narayana Rao 16/11

Senior Surgeon.

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From the Senior Surgeon in Mysore.
Letter No. G. C. 841-20 dated 26/2/40.
States that the arrears of lighting Charges have accumulated from October 1938 and as such of Rs. 696/8/- is due from the Victoria and Vani Vilas Hospls. alone, & requests that the G.O. may be given effect to from 1/10/38.

50) Subd. for orders. (Refers to paras 45 to 47) supra. The Furn. Secy. has to be consulted.

Dy 1/3/40 / 13/3/40

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52) The proposal of the S.S. may be sanctioned

2nd Asst Secy 1/3 Secy 1/3

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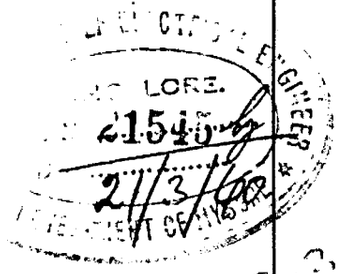

58) Forwarded unofficially with compliments to the Chief Electrical Engineer in Mysore for kindly furnishing a note with reference to para 54 supra.

By order
for Secretary to Government
Development Department
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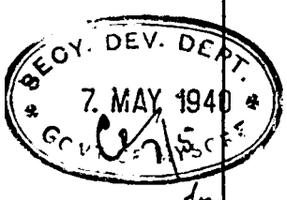

Returned with compliments, to the Secretary to Government, Development Department, Bangalore.

As already noted by me in my U.O.Note of the 16th May 1939, the flat rate system will result in loss to Government. As Government have, however, sanctioned in their Order of 13th July 1939 that the flat rate system of charging at Re.0-4-0 per light per mensem be applied to Nurses' quarters in all Medical Institutions and as these charges are expected to be met from the 'Contingencies' of the Hospitals concerned, the order may be given effect to from 1st July 1939 instead of retrospectively from October 1938.

60) The Medical Department is expected to pay the charges on the basis of flat rate system and therefore the amount that has to be waived by giving retrospective effect to the order may perhaps be borne by the Medical Budget instead of the Electrical Department being asked to withdraw the claim. The flat rate system per light per mensem is still being continued and the block rate arrangement fixing power charges for actual consumption by Government Installations is being examined and definit

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Exemption issues from payment of electric charges

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5	N° & Dy. 10038-43 Dy. 31/5/40 to The Dir. Surgeon wi Reptre " " Dunbar Surgeon & R.O. K. R. Hosp. Reptre " Chief Engr. & Reptre " Chief Elec: Engr. wi Reptre " Comptr. Revs. Fin. Secty. " Secy. to Govt. Electrical Deptt.

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Med. 227-38-1

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read.-

Government Order No.G.2694-7/Med.255-36-4 dated 25th September 1937 sanctioning the levy of flat rates for electric power consumed in the nine Indian Nurses' Quarters at annas 4 per lamp per month and at 8 annas per fan per month, until glass tiles are introduced in the quarters to improve the lighting.

2. Government Order No.G.9952-4/Med.175-37-4 dated 17th June 1938 sanctioning the levy of flat rates in respect of electric power consumed in all the 30 quarters occupied by the Indian Nurses of both Victoria and Vani Vilas Hospitals, Bangalore with retrospective effect until glass tiles are provided for the quarters.

3. Government Order No.G.5528-9/Med.5-38-9 dated 30th November 1938 sanctioning a general exemption from payment of electric charges up to a minimum to all Nurses who are provided with quarters in the District Hospitals and in other medical institutions in Bangalore, Mysore and Kolar Gold Field.

4. On-official Note No.G.C.541-1 dated 9th March 1939 from the Senior Surgeon recommending that a uniform rate of annas 4 per light may be charged and the amount paid from the contingencies of the concerned Hospital in respect of electrical energy supplied to Nurses' Quarters of the Bangalore Hospitals.

5. Correspondence ending with letter No. C.5204-10 dated 25th April 1939 from the

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the Senior Surgeon requesting sanction to the recommendation made by the Board of Medical Officers of the Victoria, Minto Ophthalmic and Vani Vilas Hospitals that flat rates be introduced to all Nurses' Quarters, the charges being paid by the respective institutions from their annual budget allotment.

6. Un-official Note No.26599 dated 10th May 1939 from the Chief Electrical Engineer on the subject of free lighting to Nurses' Quarters.

ORDER NO. G556-61

Dated, Bangalore 13th July 1939.

The Chief Electrical Engineer states that the proposal to charge "Nurses Quarters" at a flat rate of 0-4-0 per outlet will result in a loss of Rs.1,650/- per annum to the Department and that the meter system has the advantage of preventing indiscriminate use and waste of power. He accordingly considers that it is desirable to continue the existing system of metering all institutions and charging for actual consumption, ~~subject to~~ the minimum charges being paid by the Department.

Government generally agree with the views of the Chief Electrical Engineer. They however, consider that it is difficult to adhere in regard to this arrangement in all cases, especially the recovery of ~~excess~~ charges ~~over~~ minimum in excess of the among the several occupants in a block of quarters with a common meter. They are accordingly pleased to direct that ~~the~~ flat rates at annas 4/- per light p.m and annas 8 per fan p.m may be levied for electrical energy supplied ~~(for lighting purposes etc)~~, to

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Nurses' Quarters in all Medical Institutions in Bangalore City, Mysore City and the Districts These charges will be met from the contingencies of the Hospitals concerned. The Senior Surgeon is requested to issue necessary instructions ~~to all concerned~~ to prevent unnecessary consumption of power.

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Secy. to Govt.
~~Dev.~~ Deptt.

To The Chief Engineer of Mysore
The Senior Surgeon in Mysore.
" Chief Electrical Engineer in Mysore.
" Comptroller through F.D.
" Secretary, Electrical Department.
Durbar Surgeon & M.O K.R. Hospital Mysore

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. G. 556-61—Med. 227-38-1, dated 13th July 1939.

Flat Rates for Electrical Power supplied to Nurses' Quarters.

Passes orders in the matter of charging —— in all medical institutions in Bangalore City, Mysore City and the Districts.

READ—

Government Order No. G. 2694-7—Med. 233-36-4, dated 25th September 1937, sanctioning the levy of flat rates for electric power consumed in the nine Indian Nurses' Quarters in the Victoria Hospital at annas four per lamp per month and at annas eight per fan per month, until glass tiles are introduced in the quarters to improve the lighting.

2. Government Order No. G. 9952-4—Med. 175-37-4, dated 17th June 1938, sanctioning the levy of flat rates in respect of electric power consumed in all the 30 quarters occupied by the Indian Nurses of both Victoria and Vani Vilas Hospitals, Bangalore, with retrospective effect until glass tiles are provided for the quarters.

3. Government Order No. G. 5328-9—Med. 3-38-9, dated 30th November 1938, sanctioning a general exemption from payment of electric charges up to a minimum to all nurses who are provided with quarters in the District Hospitals and in other medical institutions in Bangalore, Mysore and Kolar Gold Field.

4. Un-official Note No. G. C. 341-1, dated 9th March 1939, from the Senior Surgeon in Mysore, recommending that a uniform rate of annas four per light may be charged and that the amount may be paid from the contingencies of the concerned Hospital in respect of electrical energy supplied to Nurses' Quarters of the Bangalore Hospitals.

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ORDER No. G. 556-61—MED. 227-38-1, DATED BANGALORE, THE 13TH JULY 1939.

The Chief Electrical Engineer states that the proposal to charge "Nurses' Quarters" at a flat rate of four annas per outlet will result in a loss of Rs. 1,850 per annum to the department and that the meter system has the advantage of preventing indiscriminate use and waste of power. He accordingly considers that it is desirable to continue the existing system of metering all institutions and of charging for actual consumption, the minimum charges being paid by the Department.

2. Government generally agree with the views of the Chief Electrical Engineer. They, however, consider that it is difficult to adhere to this arrangement in all cases, especially in regard to the recovery of charges in excess of the minimum among the several occupants in a block of quarters with a common meter. They are accordingly pleased to direct that flat rates at four annas per light per mensem and eight annas per fan per mensem may be levied for electrical energy supplied to Nurses' Quarters in all medical institutions in Bangalore City, Mysore City and the Districts. These charges will be met from the contingencies of the hospitals concerned. The Senior Surgeon is requested to issue necessary instructions to prevent unnecessary consumption of power.

P. H. KRISHNA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

To—The Senior Surgeon in Mysore.
The Durbar Surgeon and Medical Officer, Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore.
The Chief Engineer of Mysore.
The Chief Electrical Engineer in Mysore.
The Comptroller to Government through the Financial Secretariat.
The Secretary to Government, Electrical Department.

Exd.—C. K.

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ORDER NO. G. 556-61—MED. 227-38-1, DATED BANGALORE, THE 13TH JULY 1939.

The Chief Electrical Engineer states that the proposal to charge "Nurses' Quarters" at a flat rate of four annas per outlet will result in a loss of Rs. 1,850 per annum to the department and that the meter system has the advantage of preventing indiscriminate use and waste of power. He accordingly considers that it is desirable to continue the existing system of metering all institutions and of charging for actual consumption, the minimum charges being paid by the Department.

2. Government generally agree with the views of the Chief Electrical Engineer. They, however, consider that it is difficult to adhere to this arrangement in all cases, especially in regard to the recovery of charges in excess of the minimum among the several occupants in a block of quarters with a common meter. They are accordingly pleased to direct that flat rates at four annas per light per mensem and eight annas per fan per mensem may be levied for electrical energy supplied to Nurses' Quarters in all medical institutions in Bangalore City, Mysore City and the Districts. These charges will be met from the contingencies of the hospitals concerned. The Senior Surgeon is requested to issue necessary instructions to prevent unnecessary consumption of power.

P. H. KRISHNA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

To—The Senior Surgeon in Mysore.
The Durbar Surgeon and Medical Officer, Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore.
The Chief Engineer of Mysore.
The Chief Electrical Engineer in Mysore.
The Comptroller to Government through the Financial Secretariat.
The Secretary to Government, Electrical Department.

Exd.—C. K.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

G.O. 583
Med. 227-38-2

Comptroller's Office, Bangalore,

SECY. DEV. DEPT. * 27 JUL. 1939 * GOVT OF MYSORE

No. 39 A.2 Dated the 26th July Med 1939.

P. H. Krishna Rao Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Development Department, Bangalore.

GEN. & REV. SECTT * 27 JULY 1939 * GEN. MIS. BRANCH.

Sir,

Adverting to Government Order No.G.556-61/Med.227-38-1 dated 13-7-39 directing that flat rates at annas four per light per month and annas eight per fan per month may be levied for electrical engergy supplied to Nurses Quarters in all Medical Institutions in Bangalore City, Mysore City and the Districts, I have the honor to request you to be so good as to intimate the date from which the above arrangement is required to be given effect to and whether it applies to the Hospitals in the Kolar Gold Field area also.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

T. Rajamanne
For Comptroller 26/7

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SUBJECT.....

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Section Med
File No. 227-38
Serial No. 3

No. G 4969/Enclosure,

To S.S.

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 4/12/39

Signed by Mr. C.S.S.C

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Sir,

With reference to your
G.O. Note No. C346-17/17.11.39.
regarding the question of
giving retrospective effect to
G.O. No. 556-61/Med 227-38—
1 & 13.7.39 etc.
in the matter of Flat
rates for electrical energy,
ordered under G.O. referred to
above, I am directed to
request you to intimate
the date from which the

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. G 4969/Enclosures - *Bangalore, Dated,* 2nd December, 1939.

From

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department.

To

The Senior Surgeon in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your U.O. Note No.G.C.346-17, dated 17-11-39 regarding the question of giving retrospective effect to Government Order No.G.556-61/Med. 227-38-1 dated 13th July 1939 etc., in the matter of levy of flat rates for electrical energy ordered in the Government Order referred to above, I am directed to request you to intimate the date from which the arrears have accumulated and that from which retrospective effect will have to be given to the Government Order. The bills received with your note are returned herewith for reference and return.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Secretary to Government
Development Department

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MYSORE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT G.M.3768

Tele{gram : Senorgen
phone : No. 2462

OFFICE OF THE SENIOR SURGEON IN MYSORE, (10

No. Gc. 341-20 Bangalore, dated 26th February 1940.
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SECY. DEV. DEPT. 28 FEB. 1940 GOVT. OF MYSORE

mcd. 227-38-4

FROM

Rajasevasakta

B. K. NARAYANA RAO, Esq., B.A., M.B.C.M., M.R.C.S. (Eng.), D.P.H., D.O. (Oxon.),
Senior Surgeon with the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.C.4969/Fly.227-38-3 dated 4-12-1939, I have the honour to state that the arrears of lighting Charges have accumulated from October 1938 and a sum of Rs.696-8-0 is due from the Victoria and Yeni Vilas Hospitals Rs. I request therefore that Government Order may kindly be ordered to be given effect to from 1-10-1938.

The bills received with the above are herewith returned.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

B.K.Narayana Rao 26/2

Senior Surgeon.

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Copy of the letter No.C.3204-6 dated 25th March 1939, from the Senior Surgeon to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

L.S.G Department

In forwarding herewith an extract from the proceedings of the meeting of the Board of Medical Officers of the Victoria, Minto Ophthalmic and Vani Vilas Hospitals, recommending the free supply of power for lighting to Nurses' quarters and the grant of a house rent of Rs.5/- to each of the three Operation Theatre Attendants, I have the honour to state as follows:-

1. At present a sum of Rs.24/- per month is being paid by Government from the sanctioned grants of the respective hospitals as detailed in the margin towards the consumption of power for lighti in the Nurses' quarters. A sum of Rs.55-3-0 per month (average f the last six mon is paid by the Nurses towards this item in addition. For reasons noted in the extract the nurses who are provided with food and raiment by Government, the supply of power free for lighting would equally be a necessity. The concession may be granted to the nur without any appreciable extra cost to Government by extending the rates of concession applicable to Government Departments under G.O. No.Fl.1417-76-G.F. dated 6th September 1933.

Name of Hospital.	Total consumption.	Paid by Government.	Paid by Nurses.
Victoria	32-11-0	7-4-0	25- 7-0
Vani Vilas	40-10-0	14-8-0	26- 2-0
Minto	5-14-0	2-4-0	3-10-0
Total	79-3-0	24-0-0	55- 3-0

2. As regards the grant of house rent allowance to Operation Theatre Attendants of the three hospitals, I have to state that at present the O.T.Attendants of the Victoria Hospital, Bangalore, is in receipt of a house rent allowance of Rs.3/- per mensem which is not paid to the attendants of the Vani Vilas and the Minto Hospitals For obvious reasons these attendants are expected to be available nearby at all hours of the day and night and at present their residence near the hospital cannot be insisted upon in as much as rents are rather high in the vicinity of these hospitals, and much inconvenience is often felt for want of their help in emergencies. In view of the costliness of the house rent in these areas the recommendation for the grant of a house rent allowance to these attendants seems very reasonable and is deserving of favourable

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consideration.

I therefore recommend that Government may be pleased to sanction (1) the extension of the concession applicable for supply of power to Government Departments under Government Order of 1933 to the Matron's and Nurses' quarters in all Hospitals where there is power supply, in addition to the general exemption ordered in Government Order of 30-11-1938, the extra cost if any, being met from the sanctioned grants of the respective hospitals for a period of three years in the first instance, and (2) the payment of a house rent allowance of Rs.3/- each to the two attendants of the Operation Theatres of the Vani Vilas and Minto Ophthalmic Hospitals on the analogy of the grant of such an allowance in the case of Victoria Hospital, the cost being met from sanctioned grants of the respective hospitals during the current year.

I solicit early orders of Government.

Proceedings of the meeting of the Board of Medical Officers of the Vani Vilas, Victoria, and Minto Ophthalmic Hospitals, Bangalore held on Thursday the 2nd February 1939 at 4-30 P.M. in the Victoria Hospital, Bangalore.

III. Re. Levy of flat rate for Electric installation in the Nurses Quarters.

The question of unusually heavy recovery of excess lighting charges from the Nursing Staff came up for consideration, and all the Medical Officers were unanimously of opinion that the Nurses are very poorly paid, and have unusually long hours of duty which involve serious risks to their well being, and they have very few social facilities and amenities of life. In consideration of the above facts the Committee strongly recommends the flat rate towards lighting be introudced to all the Nurses' Quarters just as it is done to the Hospital and other Government Buildings; and the respective medical institutions to bear the lighting charges from their annual sanctioned Budget allotments. This will not involve great cost on Government as the present minimum rate paid by Government for each nurse's quarter is annas twelve and the flat rate would work out to four annas extra for each quarter. If this question is put clearly to Government we have nodoubt that Government will accede to the request.

IV. Re: Providing quarters to Operation Theatre Attendants.

The services of O.T.Attendants, out of usual working hours, are required very often, in cases of emergency; and as they now reside far from the Hospitals, much invonvenience is felt. It is recommended that the O.T.Attendants of all the three Hospitals be given a house rent allowance of at least Rs.5/- per mensem to enable them to live in close vicinity of the Hospital, in consideration of the costliness of house rent prevailing in Bangalore City.

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File No.

Serial No.

Diary No. of letter replied to ..... Immediate

No. G. 10709

To Senior Surgeon

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Sir,

Date of issue 21/4/39

Signed by Hon. C.S. Chair

With reference to your letter No. C 3204-6 d 25-3-39 regarding the recommendation of the Board of Medical officers of the Victoria, Minto Ophthalmic and Vani Vilas Hospitals to give free supply of electric power for lighting to Nurses quarters etc, I am directed to request you to furnish the following information:—

(1) How many meters are installed

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

Immediate.

General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore, 21st April 1939.

No. Ry. 10709/Med.

From

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Local Self-Government Department.

To

The Senior Surgeon in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. C. 3204-6, dated 25th March 1939 regarding the recommendation of the Board of Medical Officers of the Victoria, Minto Ophthalmic and Vani Vilas Hospitals to give free supply of electric power for lighting to Nurses' quarters etc., I am directed to request you to furnish the following information.-

1. How many meters are installed,
2. how are the excess electric charges distributed among the consumers.

A reply in the matter may kindly be sent before the 25th April 1939.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for Secretary to Government,
Local Self Govt. Department.

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MYSORE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

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Telephone **No. 2462.**
Telegrams : Senorgen.

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OFFICE OF THE SENIOR SURGEON IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated.....25 th April.....1939 .

No. C 3204-10
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FROM

Rajasevasakta

B. K. NARAYANA RAO, Esq., B.A., M.B.C.M., M.R.C.S. (Eng.), D.P.H., D.O. (Oxon.),

Senior Surgeon with the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Localself Government Department,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.G.10709/Med. dated 21-4-1939 re: the free supply of Electric power to Nurses, I have the honour to forward herewith the information called for therein:--

1. There are 6 meters in all for 6 blocks of quarters of the Nurses of the 3 Institutions.

2. The Excess consumption charges under each meter are equally distributed among all the Nurses residing in that particular block.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

B K Narayana Rao 25/4

Senior Surgeon.

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MYSORE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Tele {gram: Senorgen. phone: No. 2462.

No. G.C. 341-27
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OFFICE OF THE SENIOR SURGEON IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated ....13th May.....1940.
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FROM

Rajasevasakta

B. K. NARAYANA RAO, Esq., B.A., M.B.C.M., M.R.C.S., (Eng.). D.P.H. D.O. (Oxon.),

Senior Surgeon with the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

Med. 27-38-

To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No.G.C.341-20 dated 26-2-1940 re: flat rates for Electrical energy in the Nurses Quarters of the Medical Institutions, I have the honour to herewith a copy of letter No.18797 dated 10-5-1940 received from the Superintendent, Mysore Power and Lighting stating that it is objectionable to continue service when the arrears are not paid for more than 3 months.

I request you kindly to issue early orders in the matter of fixing the date from which the Government Order sanctioning the levy of flat rates of Electrical charges on the Nurses Quarters has to be given effect to.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

B.K. Narayana Rao
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Senior Surgeon.

CSR.

Letter No.18797 dated 10-5-1940 from the Superintendent, Mysore Power and Lighting, Mysore, to the Senior Surgeon in Mysore, Bangalore. (19

Excess over Minimum lighting charges due by the Nurses of Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore.

With reference to your letter No.G.C.341-25 dated 29-4-40/2-5-1940, stating that the Government have been requested to order the flat rate being given effect to from 1-10-38, I have the honour to state as per G.O. EDS.No.721-724 dated 19/24-4-27, it is objectionable to continue service when the arrears are not paid for more than 3 months. Therefore, I request that arrangements may kindly be made for the immediate settlement of the bills subject to adjustment on receipt of Government Order.

"Copy".

B Narayana Rao
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Senior Surgeon.

CSR.

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SUBJECT..... Electric Supply

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Diary No. of letter replied to .....

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File No. 227-38

Serial No. 5

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Date of issue 31/5/40 19 .

Signed by Mr. C.V.S.C

Read— G.O. No G 5566/Med 227-38-1 d 13.7.39 passing orders in the matter of changing flat-rates for Electrical Power supplied to Nurses' Quarters in all Medical [redacted] in Bangalore city, [redacted]

Order thereon.—No. city and the Districts.

2. Letter no 39 A.2 d 26.7.39 from the Comptroller to Govt enquiring the date from which the GO read above should be given effect to and

May this be—

(i) printed?

(ii) treated as a standing order?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English Part?

(iv) translated?

(v) placed at the disposal of the Press?

(vi) published in the Gazette, Kannada Part?

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(*Continuation sheet draft form*).

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Medical authorities concerned as the Electrical Deptt is not prepared to withdraw their claim.

by Secy to Govt
Med. Deptt

To S. S. referring the bills
Durbar Surgeon & Sr O KR Hospital
Chief Engineer
Chief Electrical Engineer
in Hyde
Comptroller Mrs F. D
Secy to Govt — Electrical Deptt.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read:—

Government Order No. D.556-61/Med.227-38-1 dated 13th July 1939 passing orders in the matter of charging flat rates for Electrical power supplied to Nurses' quarters in all Medical institutions in Bangalore City, Mysore City and the Districts.

2) Letter No.39-A.2 dated 26th July 1939 from the Comptroller to Government enquiring the date from which the Government Order read above should be given effect to and also whether it applies to the hospitals in Kolar Gold Field area also.

3) Un-official Note No.C.C.346-17/dated 17th November 1939 and letter No.C.C.341-20 dated 26th February 1940 from the Senior Surgeon, proposing for reasons stated that the Government Order dated 13th July 1939 may be given retrospective effect from 1st October 1938 so as to include arrears amounting Rs.742-5-0 which fell due prior to 1st July 1939 and that the hospitals in Kolar Gold Field area may be deemed to be included.

4) Un-official Note No.25780 dated 7th May 1940 from the Chief Electrical Engineer stating his opinion on the subject.

ORDER NO. G 10038-43/Med 227-38-5

BANGALORE, DATED 31st MAY, 1940.

Government are pleased to direct that the Government Order dated 13th July 1939 should apply to hospitals in Kolar Gold Field area also and that it should be given effect to from 1st July 1939. The arrears of electrical charges which have accumulated prior to 1st July 1939 viz., Rs.742-5-0 should be borne by the several medical institutions concerned.

C. D. Srinivasa Char

for Secretary to Government
Development Department

To

The Senior Surgeon in Mysore, returning the bills.
" Outer Surgeon and Medical Officer, Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore.
" Chief Engineer of Mysore.
" Chief Electrical Engineer in Mysore.
" Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, through Financial Department.
" Secretary to Government, Electrical Department.